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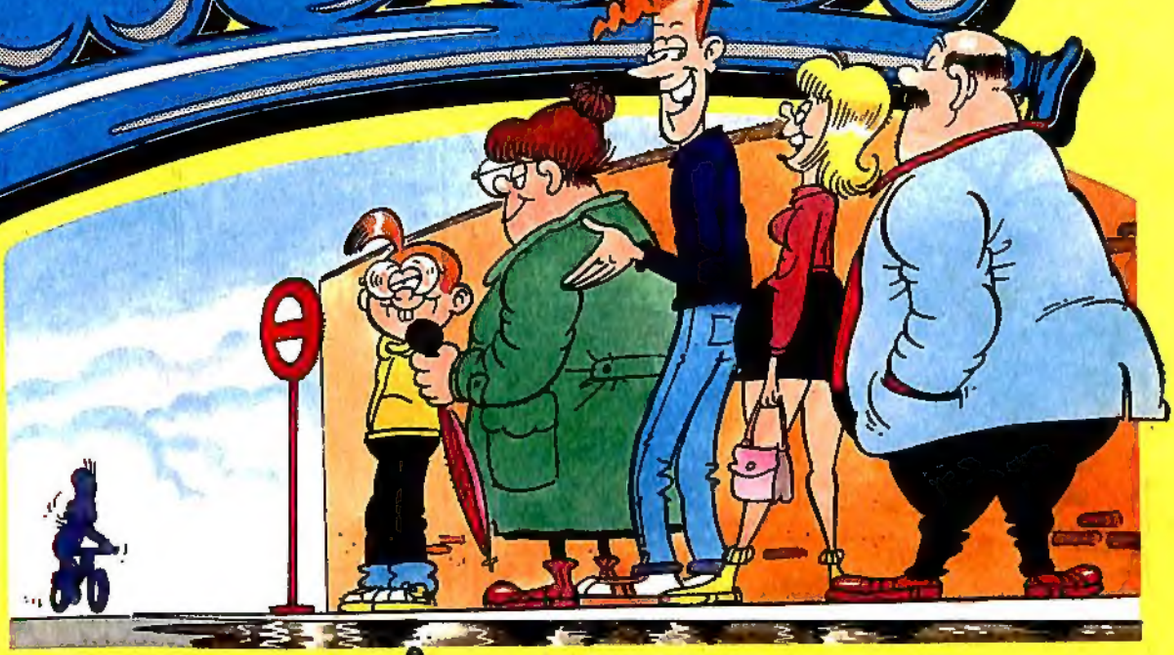
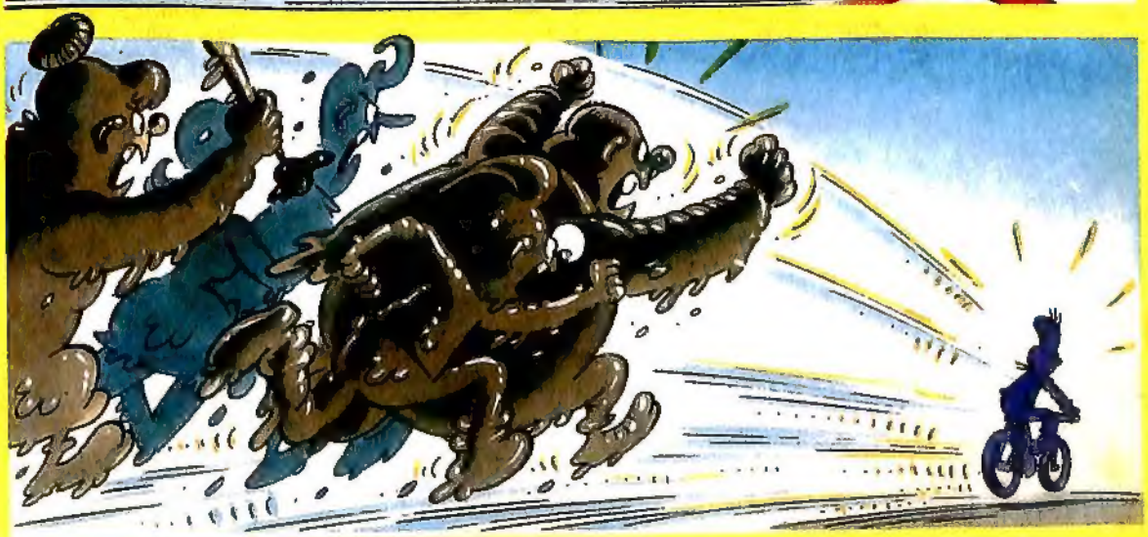


DON'T MISS IT!

BADTIME BEDTIME BOOK

'PUNCH and CHEWDAY'

PART ONE INSIDE



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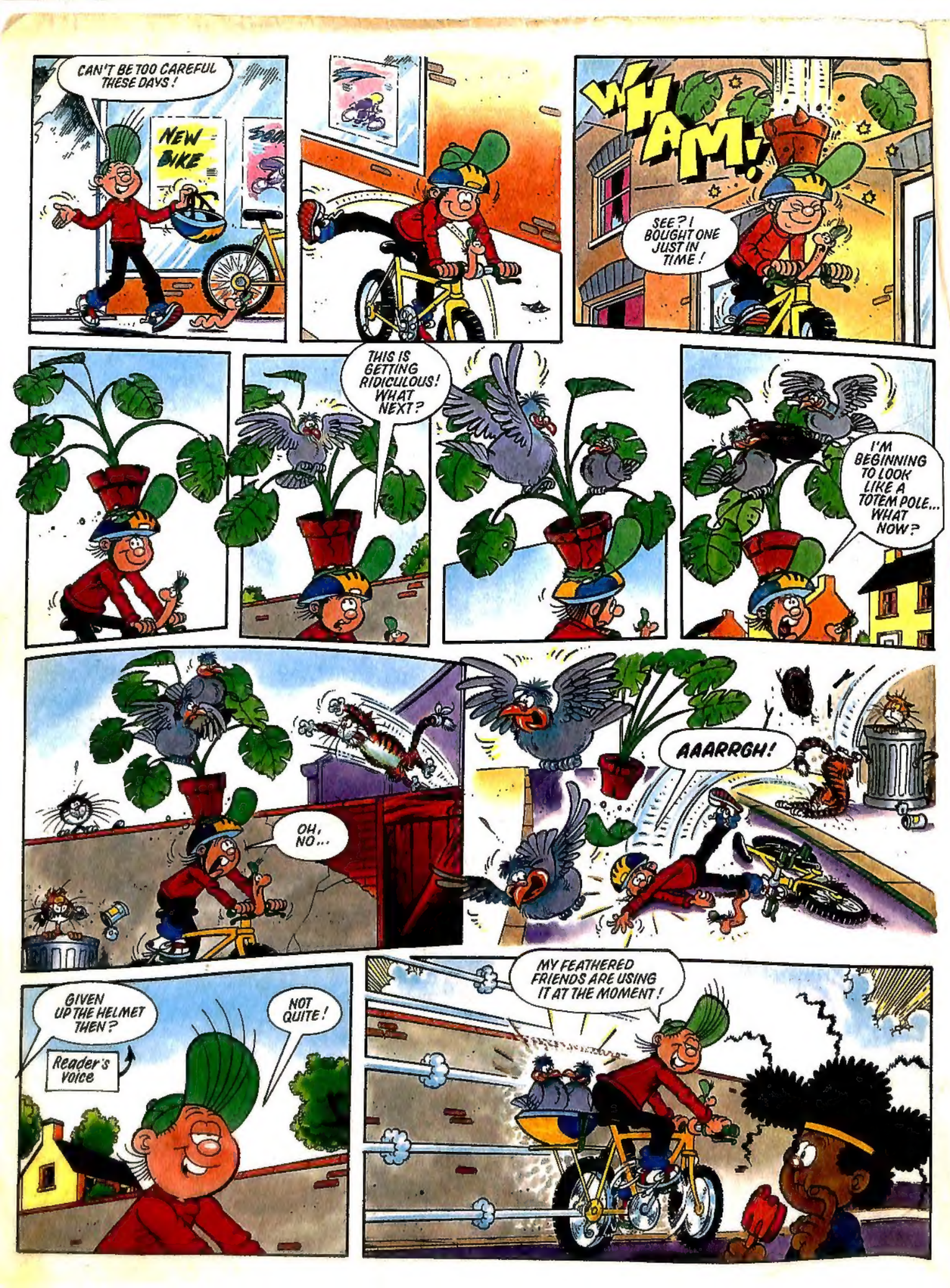



# DOUBLE TROUBLE

JOKER

GROAN! ACID RAIN!
GROAN! I WONDER IF THE GREENHOUSE EFFECT WILL AFFECT MY GREENHOUSE!
JUST GROAN!
BUS STOP

TSK! ALL THOSE WORRIED LITTLE FACES!
WORRY!

NOSE-SEEKING PONG!
CRACK! PUFF! CRACK! CRACK!

CHEER UP, GENTS! YOUR FRIENDLY NEIGHBOURHOOD JOKER HAS ARRIVED! YUK, YUK!
NIFF!
SQUIRT
SPRAY!
SPLAT!

ARF! A JOKE OR TWELVE A DAY! THAT'S MY PRESCRIPTION FOR CHEERING PEOPLE UP... ESPECIALLY MYSELF!
FUME!

THE JOKE SHOP
STINKBOMBS
BUT THERE ARE A LOT OF WORRIED FOLK ABOUT JUST NOW... SO I'D BETTER STOCK UP WITH LOTSA JOKES!

AND...
THERE SHOULD BE ANOTHER LOT AT THE BUS STOP BY NOW... BOMBS AWAY!
SQUIT

CRACK! PUFF! SQUELCH!
YUK! JUST WAIT 'TIL YOU HEAR 'EM!

NO REACTION AT ALL!
EH?

AAGH! THEY'RE JOKE PROTECTED!
PONG!
ANTI GREENHOUSE EFFECT SUIT
ACID RAIN SUIT
BUS STOP
PONG!
READY FOR EVERYTHING SUIT

AND SO...
GROAN! I SPENT QUIDS ON JOKES, AND I CAN'T USE THEM!
GLOOM!
WORRY!
ANTI FALLING SATELLITE HAT
ANTI POLLUTION SUITE
THE JOKE SHOP
OZONE LAYER PROOF
SID BURGON

# HIT KID

ANY TIME... ANY PLACE... ANYONE!

HAW, HAW! THAT'S PUT AN END TO THEIR WALKING!
SLIP!
SLITHER!
OOF!

WE MUST TRY TO EARN A LOT OF MONEY ON OUR SPONSORED WALK!
ATHLETICS STADIUM
HUH! SOPPY KIDS!

I'LL FIX THEM WITH THIS OIL!
SQUIRT!

BUT SOMEONE CALLED FOR HIT KID...
H.K. H.Q.
OKAY, BABY! I ACCEPT THE CONTRACT!

I'LL JUST CHECK MY SHOOTER!

THAT'S HIM!

RAISE 'EM!
AAAH! HIT KID!
POKE!

START WALKING!

G-GULP! IT'S THE LONG WALK!
ATHLETICS STADIU
YOU'D BETTER BELIEVE IT! IN HERE!

SPONSORED WALK FOR CHARITY
POP!
THIS IS WHERE I TAKE MY LEAVE OF THIS SUCKER... AND THE BIGGER ONE, TOO!

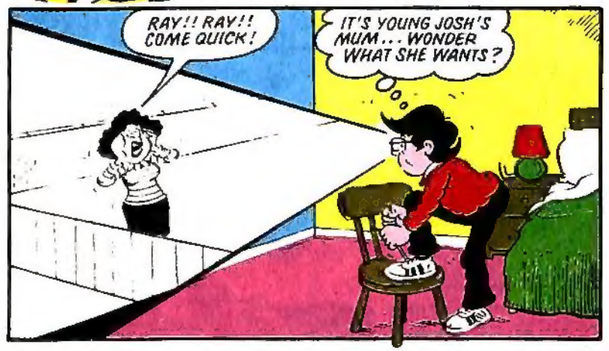
HOURS LATER...
GOTTA KEEP WALKING! I CAN STILL FEEL THE GUN IN MY BACK!
ANY TIME, ANY PLACE, ANYONE!
HE'S RAISING POUNDS FOR CHARITY!
HE MUST BE KEEN!

SID BURGON

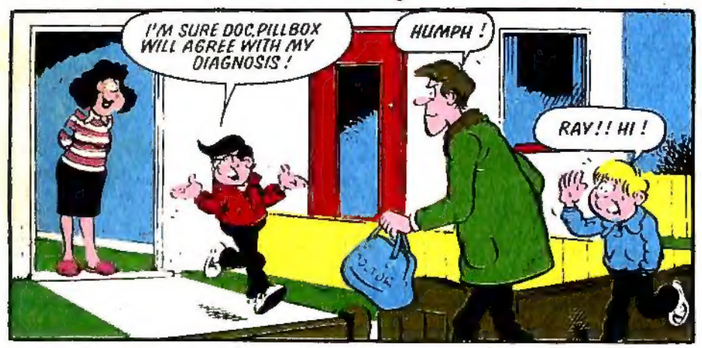
WATFORD GAPP
HE'S THE KING OF THE RAP!
I KNOW A STRANGE PROFESSOR WHO CALLS ME HIS RAPPIN' RULER ...
HMM! IF ZERE ARE FIFTEEN APPLES IN A BOX OF PLUMS ... HOW MANY MONKEYS IN A BARREL OF GRAPES?
"ZIS PLACE", HE SAYS, "ISS PRETTY COOL, BUT VONCE IT VAS MUCH COOLER!"
THROB!
THINK!
PULSE!
THE SQUARE ROOT OF A LENGTH OF A PIECE OF KNOTTED STRING IS EQUAL TO THE SUM OF ALL THE PIMPLES ON A WOMBAT'S KNEE...
POSTULATE!
A CHEESE OMELETTE
"I'LL PROVE IT VIS MEIN TIME MACHINE!" HE SAID TO MY SURPRISE ...
WE BOTH CLIMBED IN, IT LIFTED OFF... (WELL, AFTER ALL, TIME FLIES!)
WE LANDED IN A PLACE WITH BARS ~ IT LOOKED JUST LIKE A CAGE ...
"IT'S COOLER NOW," EXPLAINED THE PROF, "'COS ZIS ISS ZE ICE AGE!"
SOME POLAR BEARS APPEARED JUST THEN (AS I WAS TURNIN' BLUE...)
GRRRRRRR!
SNARL!
GREEWEEP GIRRR!
RRRAEWLE!
I YELLED, "THIS AIN'T THE ICE AGE, PROF ~ WE'VE LANDED IN THE ZOO!"
MAH MAN THEN PUSHED A BUTTON ~ HIS MACHINE BEGAN TO CLIMB ...
UP ABOVE THOSE POLAR BEARS ~ WE GOT OUT ... JUST IN TIME!!
BUD!
JUMMM!
FRRREEPP!
SLASH!
GURR!
AIEEE!

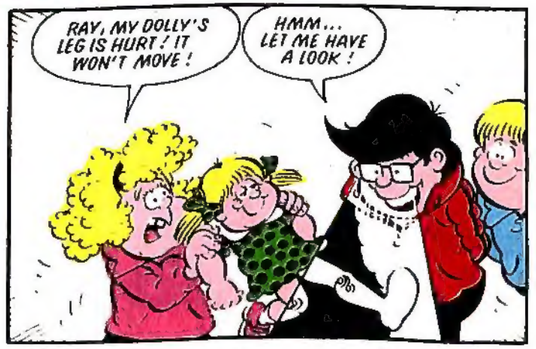
TOM THUG
THE BRAINLESS BULLY
SCHOOL
BAH! EXTRA 'OMEWORK FER BEIN' NAUGHTY AGAIN!
NOW IT'S RAININ'! GRR!
COULD BE USEFUL, THOUGH! HUR, HUR!
LOGS
SPLASH!
NEXT DAY...
... SO YER SEE, SIR, I COULDN'T DO ME 'OMEWORK 'COS THE RAIN MADE ME BOOKS ALL SOGGY!
GRR! FUME! GNASH!
A PATHETIC TALE! MULTI-MEGA HOME-WORK TONIGHT, BOY!
TOO MANY BOOKS FOR ME TO CARRY, SIR! I CAN'T DO IT! HUR!
NO PROBLEM! I'LL GIVE YOU A LIFT HOME IN MY CAR!
ULP!
HUR, HUR! YOU'LL JUST 'AVE TO GIVE ME LESS 'OMEWORK, SIR!
TILT!
DRAT!
So...
HUH! EVEN THIS IS TOO MUCH 'OMEWORK!
CHALKY WOZ ERE
I'LL SAY I LEFT 'EM ON THE BUS OR SOMETHIN'! HUR, HUR!
BUSTER IS BRILL
FLING!
CLONK!
DONK!
URK!
NNK!
UFFYA!
Y-YOU W-WOULDN'T 'IT A LITTLE LAD LIKE ME, WOULD YOU?
... NOT AS LONG AS YOU DO OUR 'OMEWORK FOR US!
BAH! SO MUCH FER TRYIN' TO DO LESS WORK!

# X-RAY SPECS

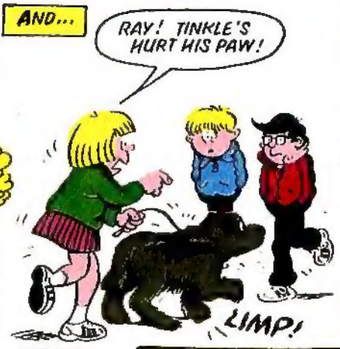

RAY!! RAY!! COME QUICK!
IT'S YOUNG JOSH'S MUM... WONDER WHAT SHE WANTS?

AND...
HE FELL DOWNSTAIRS, RAY, AND...
HE'S OKAY! NO BONES BROKEN..!


I'M SURE DOC.PILLBOX WILL AGREE WITH MY DIAGNOSIS!
HUMPH!
RAY!! HI!


RAY, MY DOLLY'S LEG IS HURT! IT WON'T MOVE!
HMM... LET ME HAVE A LOOK!

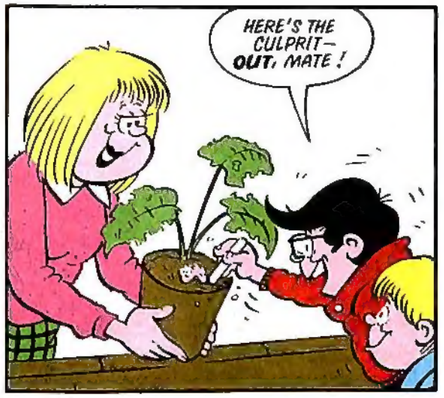
THERE! IT WAS JUST DISLOCATED! IT'S BACK IN PLACE NOW! GIGGLE!
THANKS, RAY! YOU'RE BETTER THAN THE DOLLS' HOSPITAL!

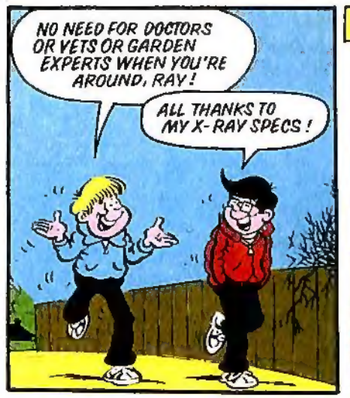

AND...
RAY! TINKLE'S HURT HIS PAW!
LIMP!

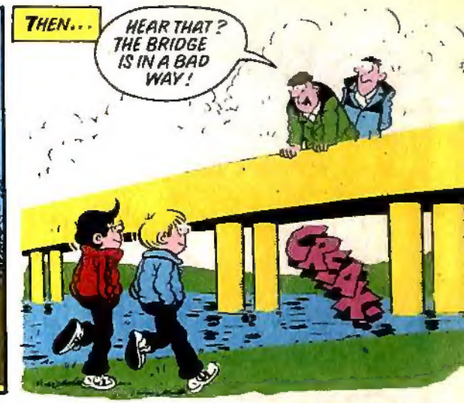
HMM! A THORN! I'LL SOON HAVE THAT OUT!

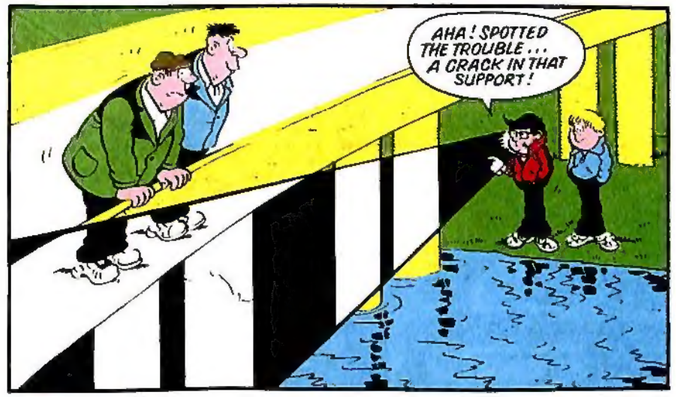
THEN...
MY FAVOURITE PLANT... IT'S BEING EATEN!
LEAVE IT TO ME, MISSUS!

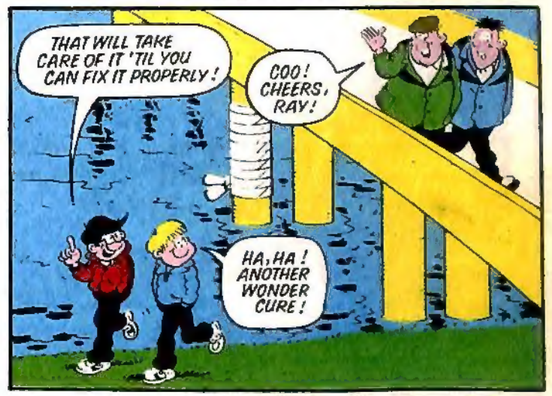
CHOMP!
AHA! A DIRTY GREAT SLUG HIDING IN THERE!

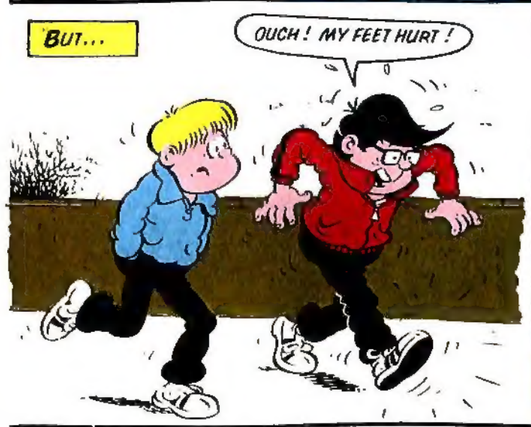

HERE'S THE CULPRIT— OUT, MATE!

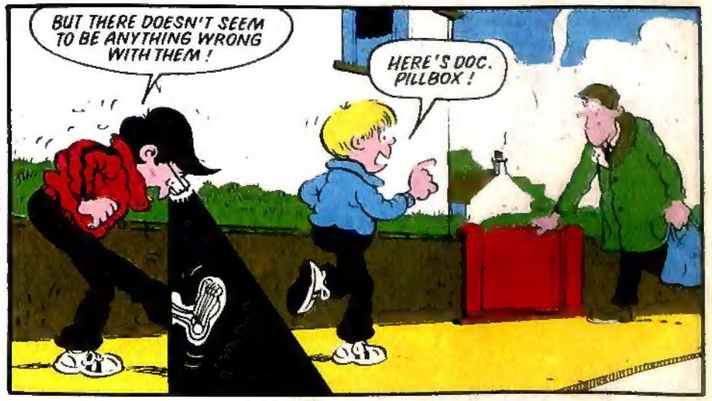

NO NEED FOR DOCTORS OR VETS OR GARDEN EXPERTS WHEN YOU'RE AROUND, RAY!
ALL THANKS TO MY X-RAY SPECS!


THEN...
HEAR THAT? THE BRIDGE IS IN A BAD WAY!
CRAK


AHA! SPOTTED THE TROUBLE... A CRACK IN THAT SUPPORT!


THAT WILL TAKE CARE OF IT 'TIL YOU CAN FIX IT PROPERLY!
COO! CHEERS, RAY!
HA, HA! ANOTHER WONDER CURE!

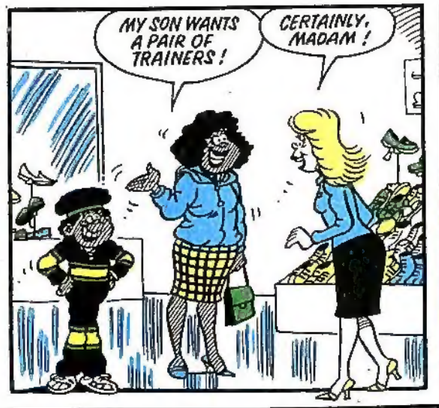

BUT...
OUCH! MY FEET HURT!

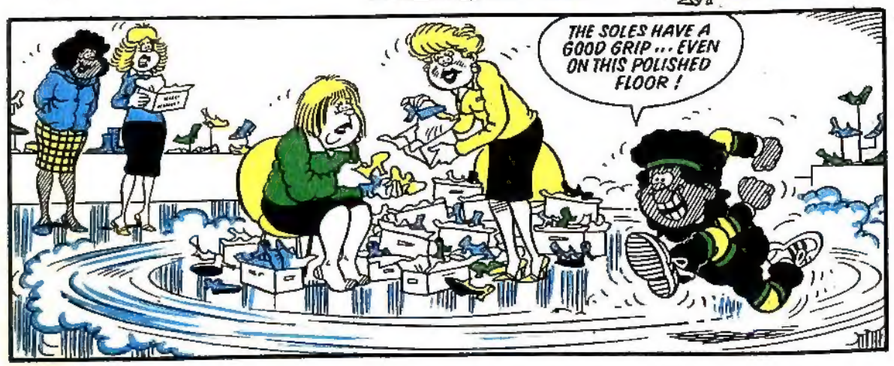

BUT THERE DOESN'T SEEM TO BE ANYTHING WRONG WITH THEM!
HERE'S DOC. PILLBOX!

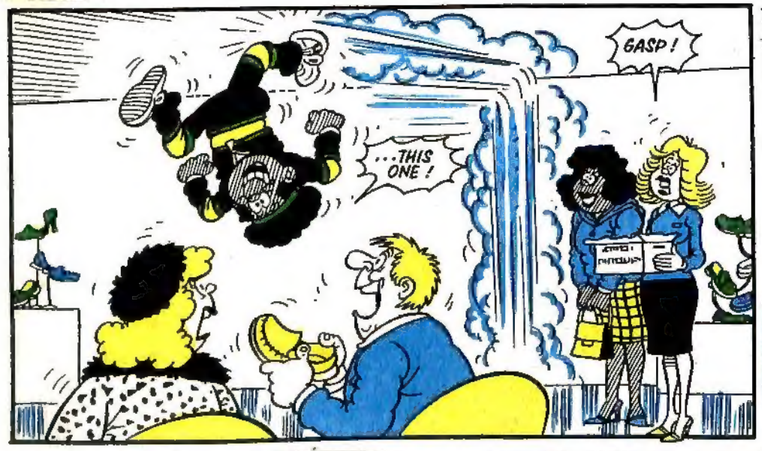
I CAN SEE WHAT'S WRONG WITH THEM FROM HERE!
WILL I NEED BANDAGES, PLASTERS, OINTMENT, OR WHAT, DOC?

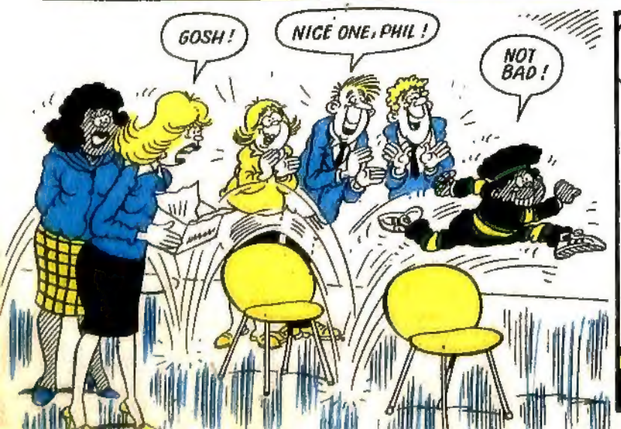
NO... JUST CHANGE YOUR SHOES ROUND! THEY'RE ON THE WRONG FEET!
EH? OOPS! SO THEY ARE!
TITTER!

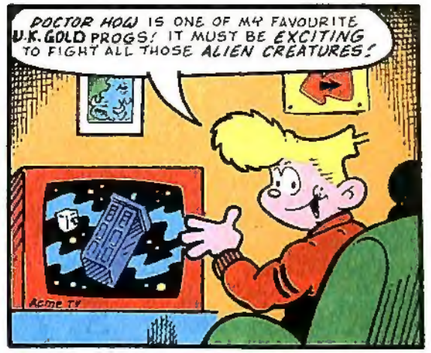
# Phil Fitt

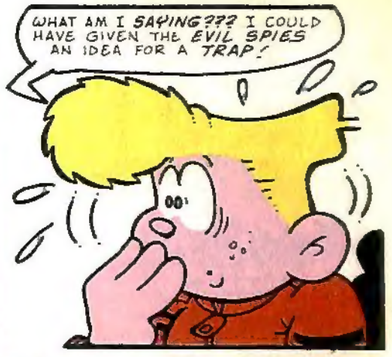


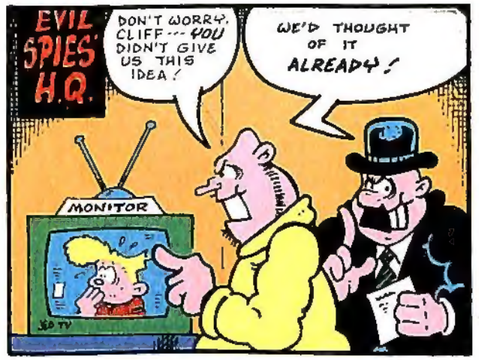


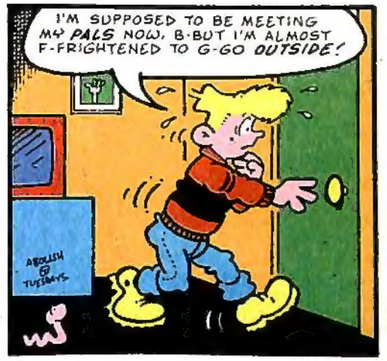


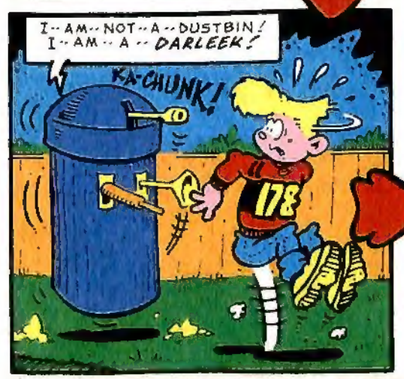


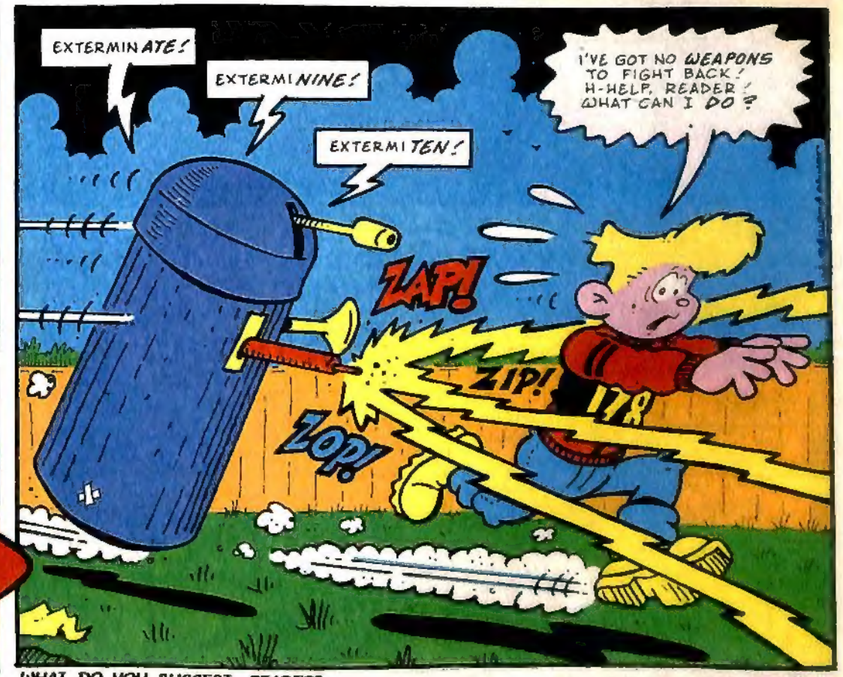


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☐ A RUN? ☐ B HIDE? ☐ C JUMP?

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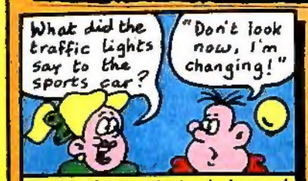


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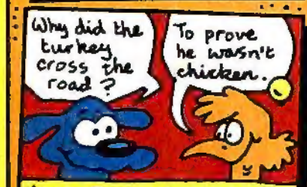


Kirsty Brown, High Wycombe.

## BUSTER BALLAD

SING TO THE TUNE "MY DARLING CLEMENTINE"

READ THE BUSTER,
READ THE BUSTER,
KEEP IT HIDDEN IN YOUR DESK,
FORGET THE DANDY AND THE BEANO
'COS YOUR BUSTER IS THE BEST.

GET YOUR COPY,
GET YOUR COPY –
IT'LL KEEP YOU IN THE MOOD,
HAVE A LAUGH BY READING BUSTER,
BE A HIP AND TRENDY DUDE.

RALPH BURTON, HARLESCOTT.

DEAR BUSTER,
I DO NOT LIKE TOM THUG'S CLOTHES, SO I HAVE DESIGNED HIM SOME MORE.
– PHILIP TURNER, WESTBURY-ON-TRYM, BRISTOL.

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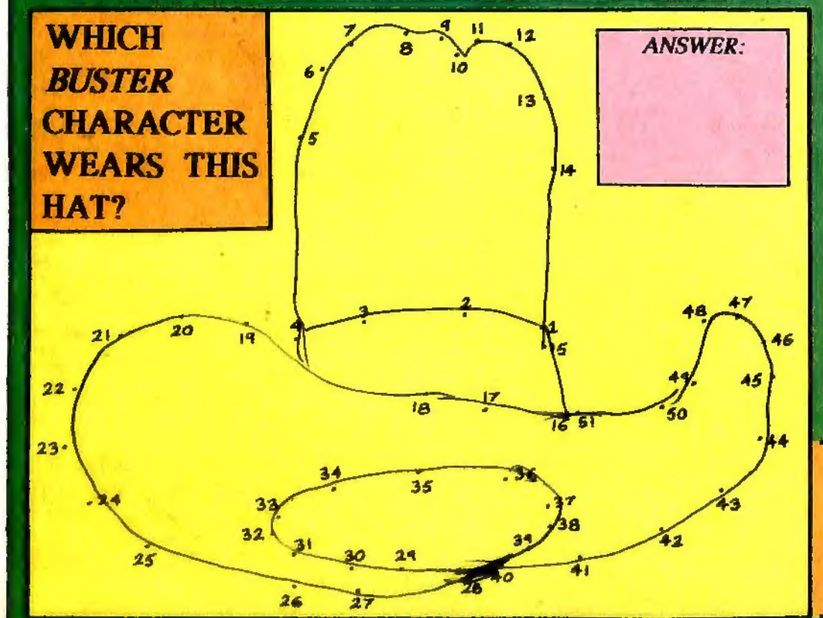
WHICH *BUSTER* CHARACTER WEARS THIS HAT?



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Dear Buster,
Please answer these questions about The Winners:
1. Have they ever lost?
...*Yes, but not often.*
2. Where do they keep their prizes?
...*They give lots of them away.*
3. Why aren't they millionaires by now?
...*See answer above!*
– CATHERINE MACTAGGART, YEOVIL.

Dear Buster,
I think your comic is brilliant and the characters are fabulous. I used to buy Beano and the Dandy but one day I bought BUSTER instead and, ever since, it's the only comic I read.
– DAVID WALSH, MOYROSS.
...*Can't say I blame you, David – BUSTER is bigger, brighter and funnier!*

# KARTOON KORNER

Dear Buster,
Please could you 'Kartoon' my sister, Melanie. She is 13 and always turns the music up loud when I'm trying to get to sleep.
– REBECAH ELDER, HORSHAM.


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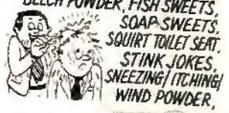

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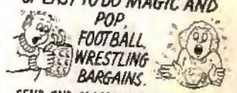

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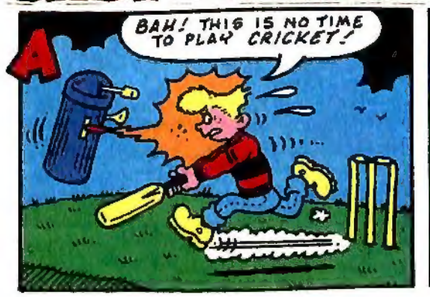
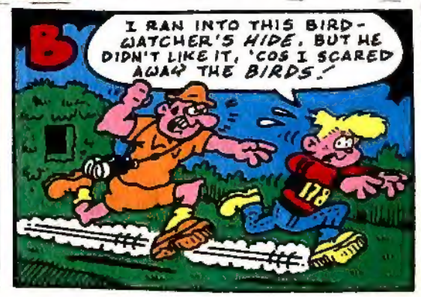
# CLIFF HANGER

MATCH UP THE LETTER TO THE BOX YOU TICKED!



# BUSTER BIRTHDAYS

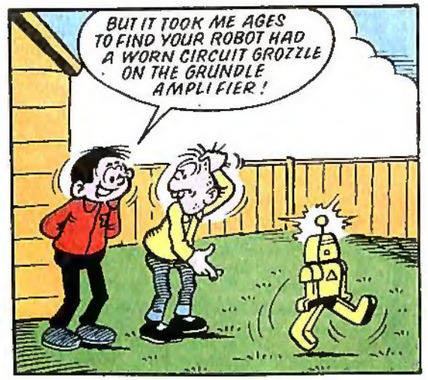
12 OCT – LAUREN WATTS (age 13), HOUNSLOW, MIDDLESEX.
12 OCT – TANIA CARPINETA (age 10), OAKWOOD, LONDON N.14.
16 OCT – DAVID JAMES PAYNE, BASILDON, ESSEX.

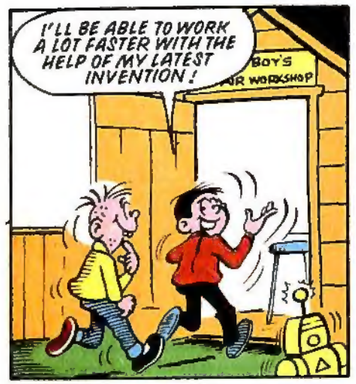
If you've sent me your details and they haven't appeared here, it's probably because you sent them too *late!* We need several months' notice, 'cos BUSTER is produced *early!* If we don't get your particulars in time, we save 'em until the following year.

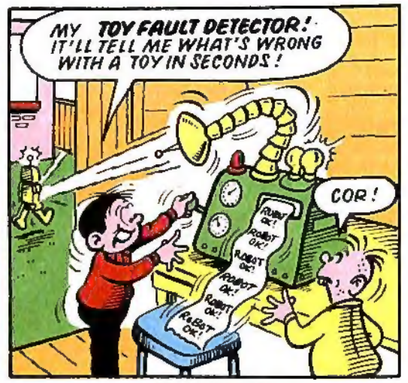
PLEASE FILL IN AND SEND THIS COUPON WHENEVER YOU WRITE TO *BUSTER*

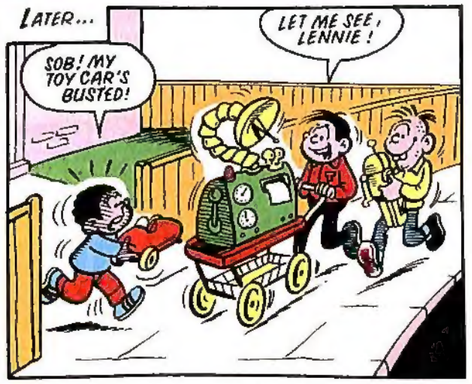
MY *FAVE FEATURES* IN *BUSTER* ARE:
1 .....
2 .....
MY *LEAST* FAVE FEATURE IS:
.....

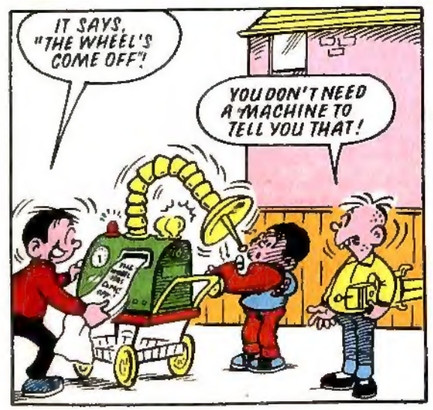
# Toy Boy

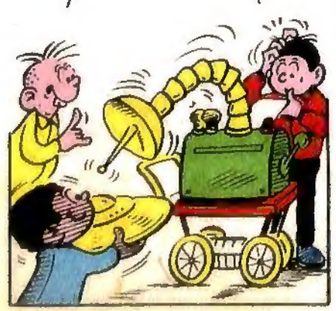


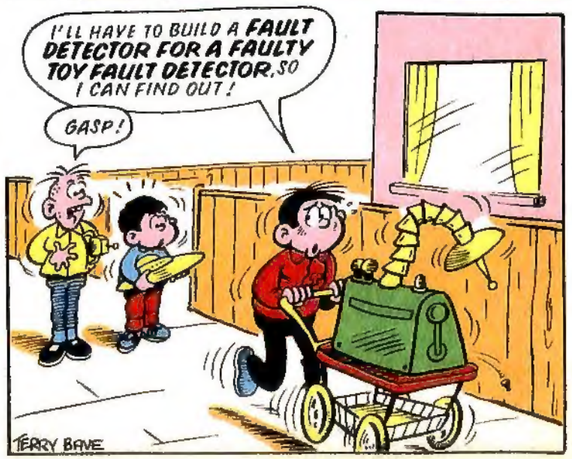





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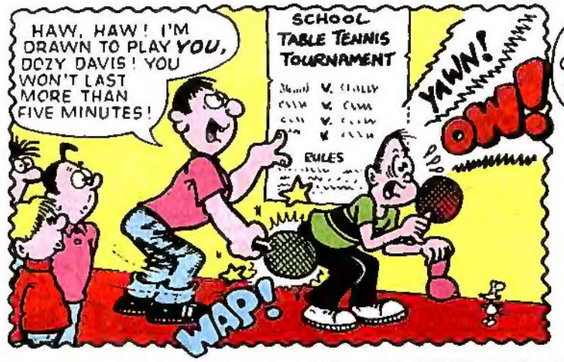
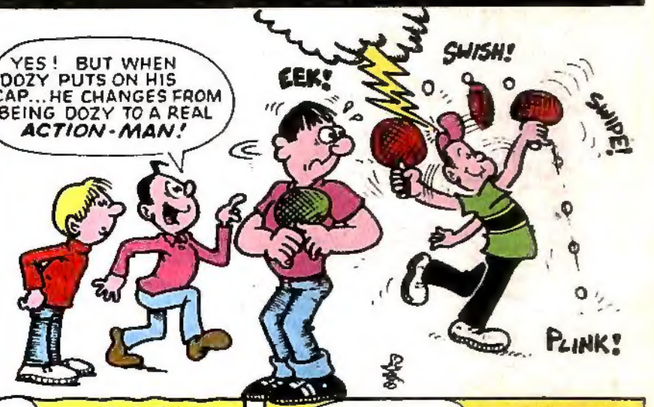
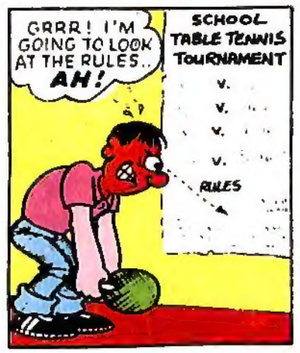
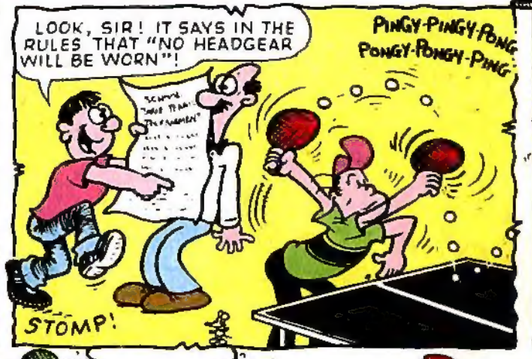
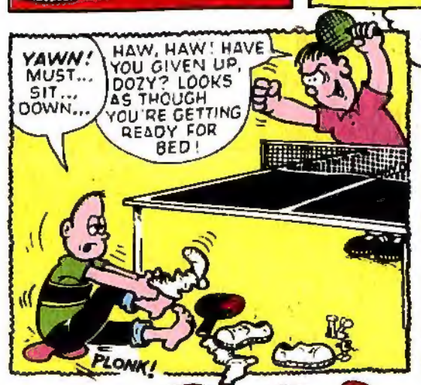
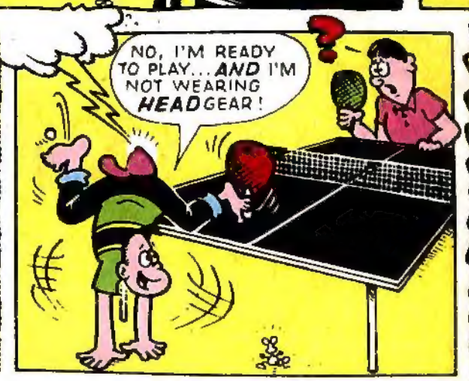


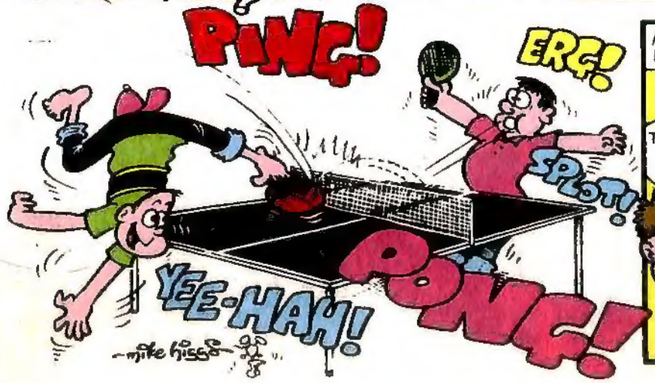



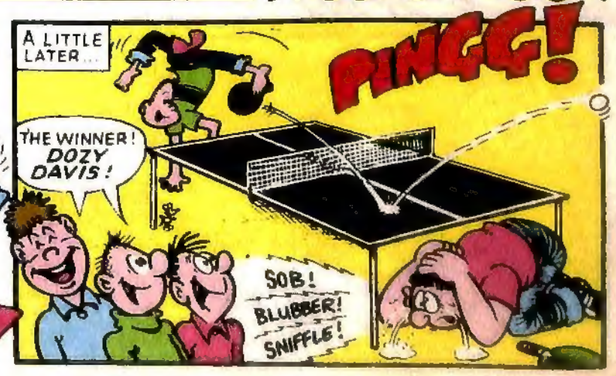







THE CRAZIEST CHARACTERS ARE ALWAYS IN BUSTER COMIC

# Lucy Lastic

PHOOEY! I'M LATE FOR THE BUS!

HAS THE 8·15 TO COLLEGE STREET GONE YET?

YOU JUST MISSED IT!

BUS

I'LL HAVE TO CATCH THE 8·16 TO JAMAICA THEN!

JAMAICA?

MY SCHOOL'S DIRECTLY UNDER THE AIRPORT FLIGHT PATH!

GRAB!

BOING!

BUT...

I'VE REALLY GOT THE HANG OF THIS!

MAYDAY! MID-AIR COLLISION UNAVOIDABLE!

AAAGH!

UH-OH! BIG TROUBLE!

LUCY TO THE RESCUE!

TWANG!

IF I CAN JUST SWING UP...!

PYANNNG!

WOW! WHERE DID SHE COME FROM?

YO!

MY SPRINGY, ELASTIC BODY WILL CUSHION THE IMPACT!

SQUIDGE!

PLUMP!

MARK BENNINGTON

FOR ALL YOU 'PLANE-SPOTTERS OUT THERE, THAT'S A 'BOING' 747!

BOING!

THANKS, LUCY!

NO PROBLEMO!

SPOTTY KENDALL?

MIRANDA LARDBELLY?

HERE, SIR!

HERE, SIR!

SCHOOL REGISTER

LUCY LASTIC?

CRASH!

HERE, SIR!

I MUST WORK ON MY LANDINGS!

SCHOOL REGISTER

# MEMORY BANKS

I THINK I'LL GO IN AND WATCH TELLY!

BUT... SORRY, BERNIE, YOUR PARENTS HAVE MOVED HOUSE! DIDN'T THEY TELL YOU?

ER... THEY MUST HAVE FORGOTTEN!

AND I DON'T KNOW WHERE THEY'VE MOVED!

I'LL FIND THEM... I HOPE!

SO... AHA! I'LL ASK THE ESTATE AGENT!

LEE.K.ROOF ESTATE AGENT

BUT... NO, BERNIE, YOUR PARENTS DIDN'T BUY A HOUSE FROM US!

FILES

AND...

BART DRAINS ESTATE AGENT

SORRY, BERNIE!

BAH! NO LUCK THERE!

THEN...

HELLO, BERNIE!

I KNOW – I'LL ASK "BRAINY" WATSON! HE KNOWS EVERYTHING!

HMM! AS YOU'VE ALL GOT BAD MEMORIES, I SUGGEST WE TRY FARMER BROWN'S FIELD!

EH?

THERE'S BERNIE!

JUST IN TIME FOR TEA!

!?!!

HOW DID YOU KNOW THEY'D BE HERE?

ELEMENTARY! FARMER BROWN LETS CAMPERS USE THIS FIELD!

AND I GUESSED YOUR PARENTS WOULD SELL THEIR HOUSE AND FORGET TO BUY A NEW ONE!

I TOLD YOU HE WAS BRILLIANT!

# Odd-BALL

SEE YOU LATER!

WHAT ARE YOU DOING, ODD-BALL?

IT'S SUCH A WRENCH TO LEAVE HOME! HAW, HAW!

GROAN!

THEN... WE'RE HAVING A GAME OF FOOTBALL IN THE PARK, NOBBY!

AND WE NEED TWO MORE PLAYERS!

NO PROBLEM... THERE'S A PAIR OF PLIERS HERE! HAW, HAW!

HE'S GETTING WORSE!

I'VE GOT SOME SHOPPING TO DO FOR MY MUM!

PARK

AND I'VE GOT SOME GREAT JOKES LINED UP!

THEN... HERE'S THAT FIVER I OWE YOU, ODD-BALL!

SHEARS, MATE! HAW, HAW!

IDIOT!

ARMY RECRUITING OFFICE

SIGN HERE

I THINK I'LL JOIN THE ARMY AND BECOME A SOLDIERING IRON! HAW, HAW!

JOIN THE ARMY, TODAY!

BAH! THAT'S IT!

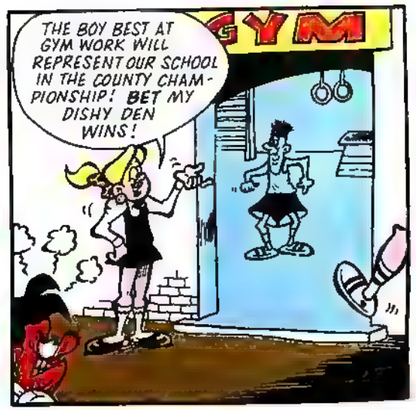
AND... TURN YOURSELF INTO AN AXE AND I'LL SHOW YOU A REALLY FUNNY JOKE!

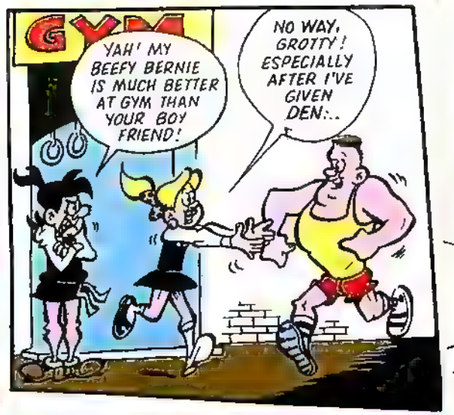
OKAY!

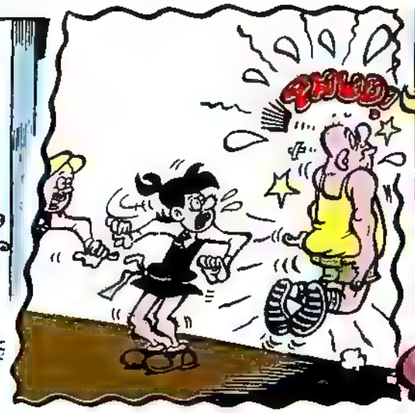
GREAT! NOW I'LL GO AND PLAY FOOTBALL WITH THE LADS, WHILE YOU DO THE CHOPPING! HAW, HAW!

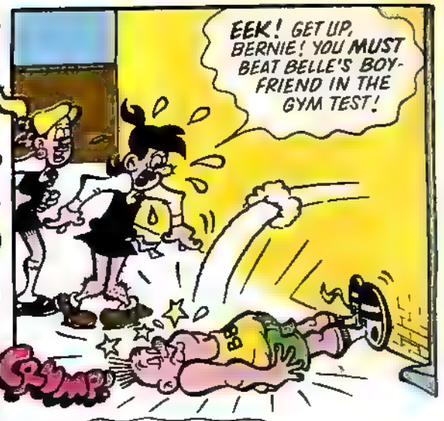
BAH! I REALLY FELL FOR THAT ONE!

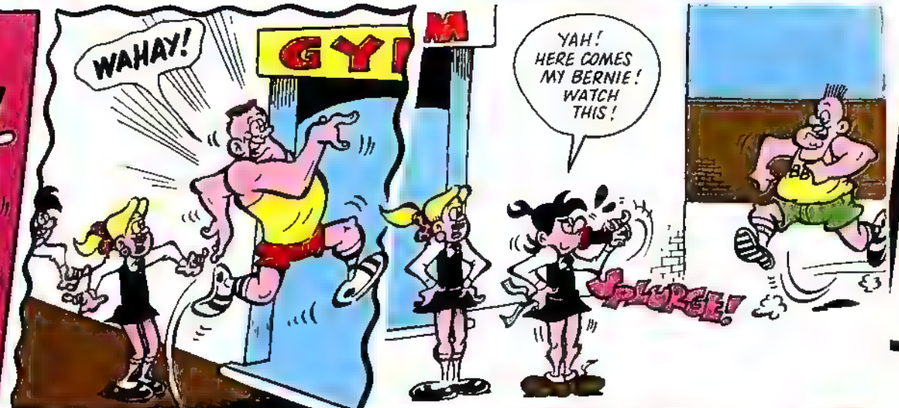
# SCHOOL BELLE

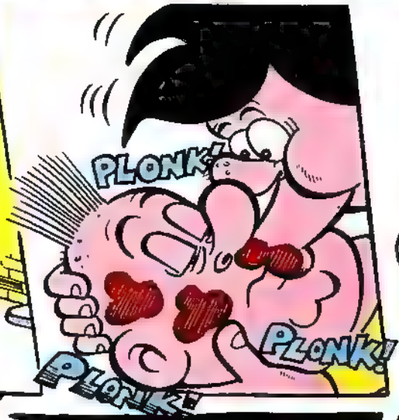


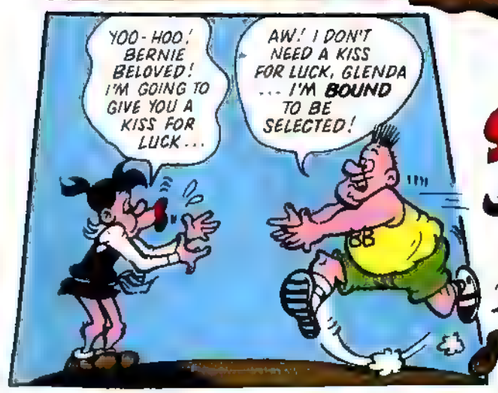



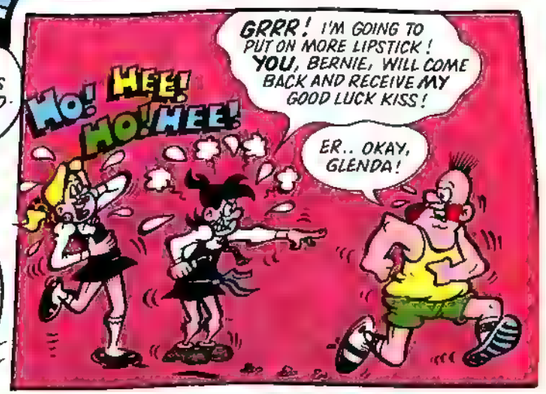


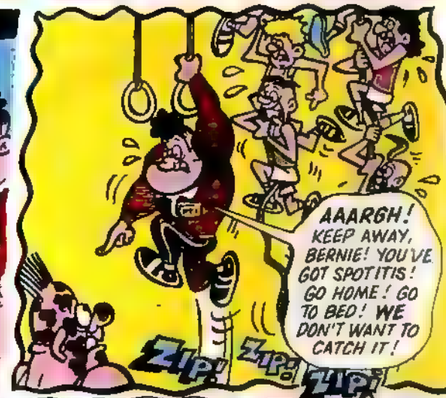



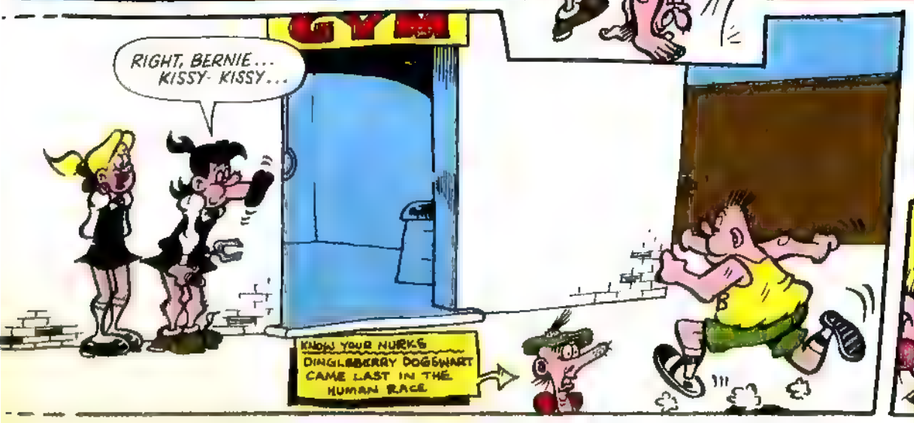


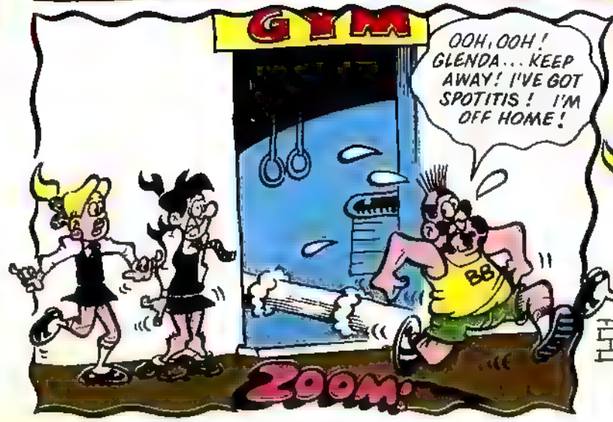


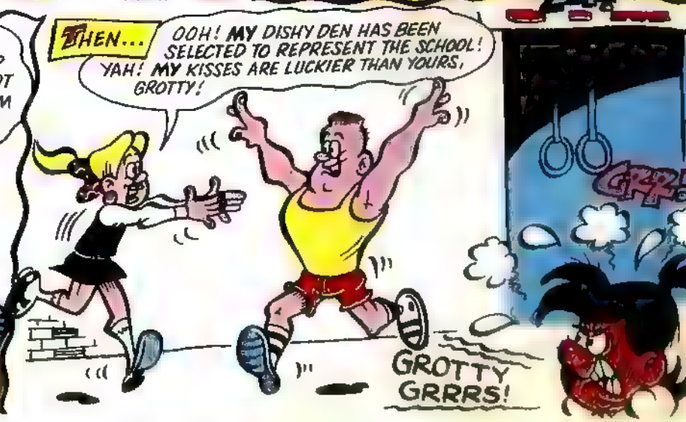


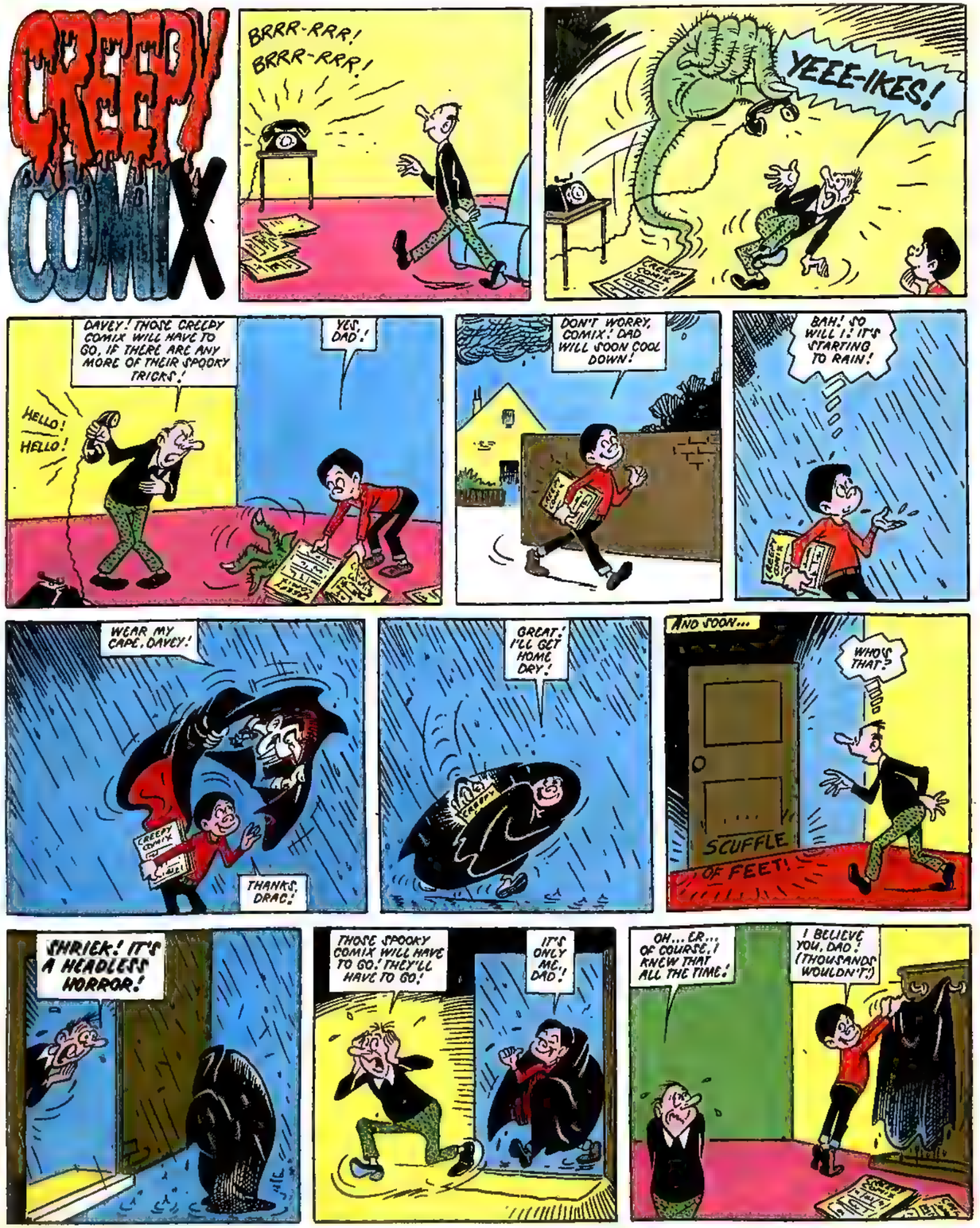




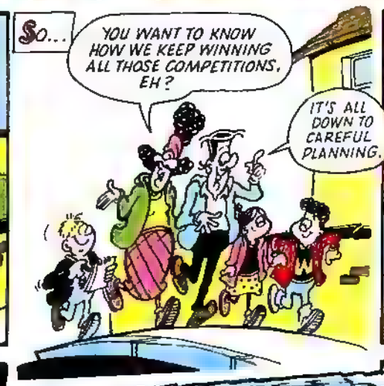


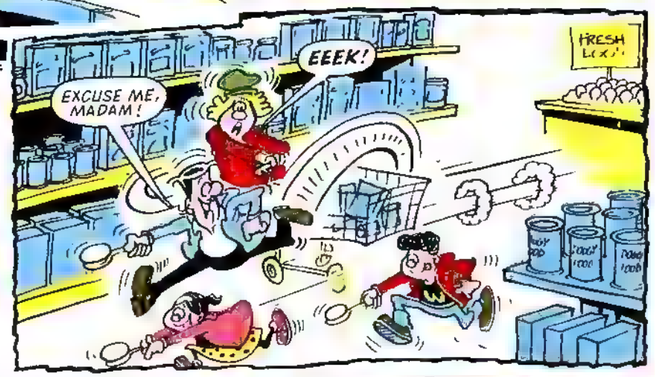



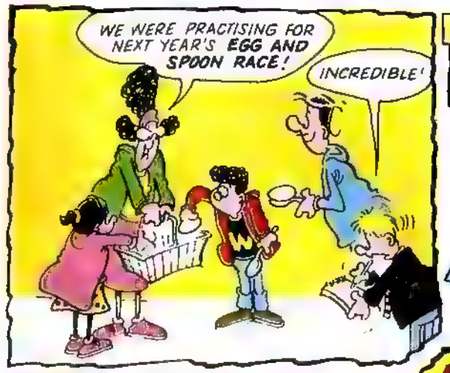


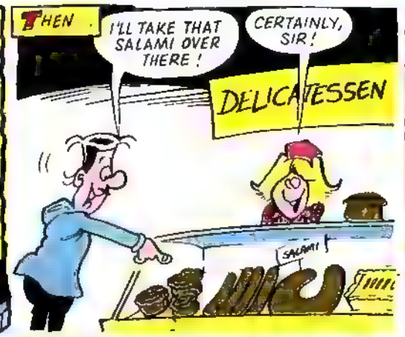

**BUSTER WEEKLY IS 'SMILES' AHEAD OF THE REST!**

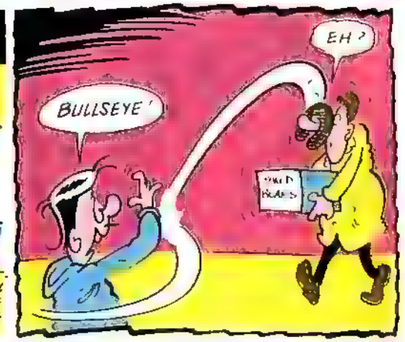
# The WINNERS

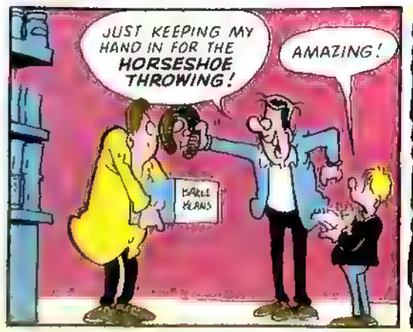


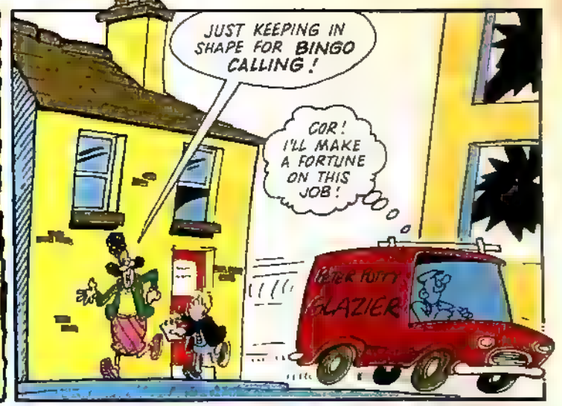


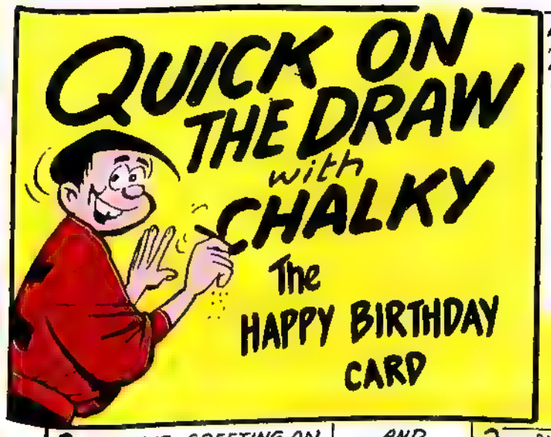





# QUICK ON THE DRAW with CHALKY

## The HAPPY BIRTHDAY CARD



HERE'S HOW TO MAKE A REALLY **HAPPY** BIRTHDAY CARD TO SEND TO A PAL...

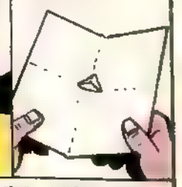
GET A PIECE OF PLAIN CARD **TWENTY-FOUR CENTIMETRES BY EIGHTEEN** AND FOLD IT THE WAY A BIRTHDAY CARD IS FOLDED.

WITH IT STILL FOLDED, FOLD IT AGAIN, THE **OTHER** WAY.

OPEN THIS SECOND FOLD AND MAKE A CUT **TWO CENTIMETRES** ALONG THIS FOLD WHERE IT MEETS THE FIRST FOLD.

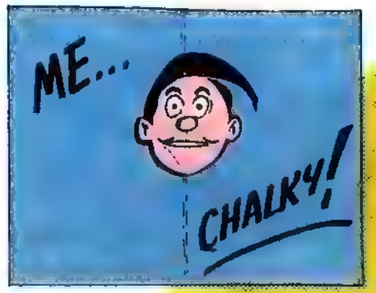
NOW OPEN THE CARD OUT FULLY AND MAKE THE FIRST FOLD AGAIN **BUT** THIS TIME PUSH THE SLIT INWARDS WITH ONE FINGER SO THE FOLDED CARD LOOKS LIKE THIS...

THE **INSIDE** OF THE CARD WILL NOW LOOK LIKE THIS...

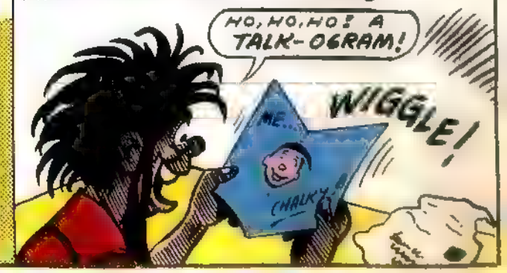


PRINT YOUR GREETING ON THE OUTSIDE OF THE CARD IN COLOURED FELT TIPS...

...AND **DRAW** A SELF-PORTRAIT INSIDE, USING THE SLIT AS A MOUTH...




NOW, WHEN YOUR PAL OPENS THE CARD THE MOUTH WILL APPEAR TO **TALK** THE GREETING... ESPECIALLY IF YOUR PAL WIGGLES THE TWO SIDES OF THE CARD A LITTLE!

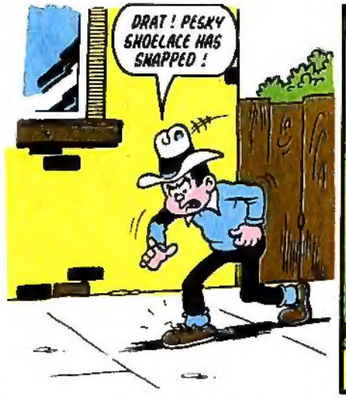


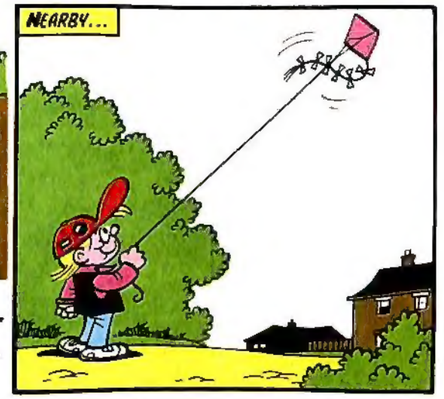
# Trio Rotten

J.R., WHAT DO YOU CALL A HELICOPTER'S PROPELLER ?

ROTTER BLADES, SIR !
HA, HA! HEE, HEE!
GROAN... THAT SHOULD BE ROTOR BLADES !

AFTER SCHOOL...
ALL YOU THINK ABOUT IS BEING ROTTEN !
YUP ! THAT'S ME ! AIN'T NOTHIN' TO BEAT ME FOR ROTTENESS !


DRAT ! PESKY SHOELACE HAS SNAPPED !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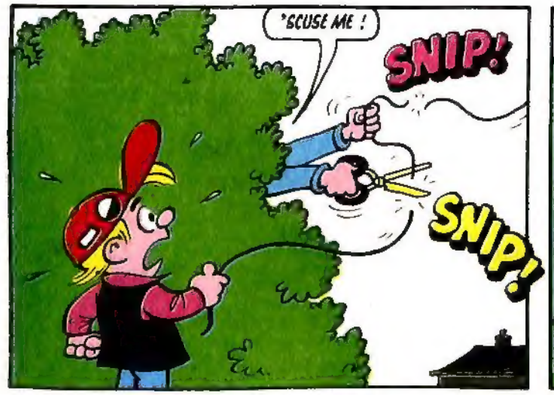
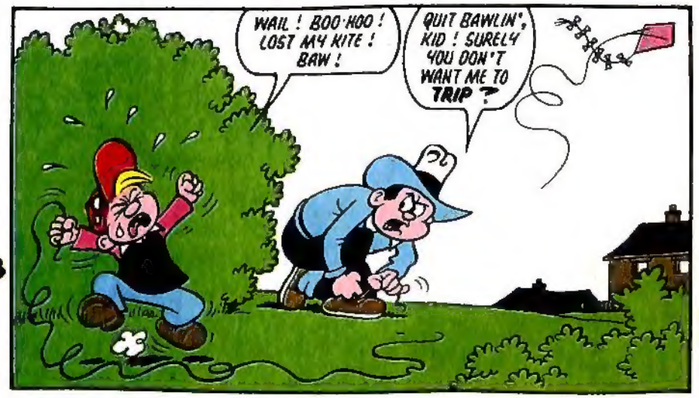
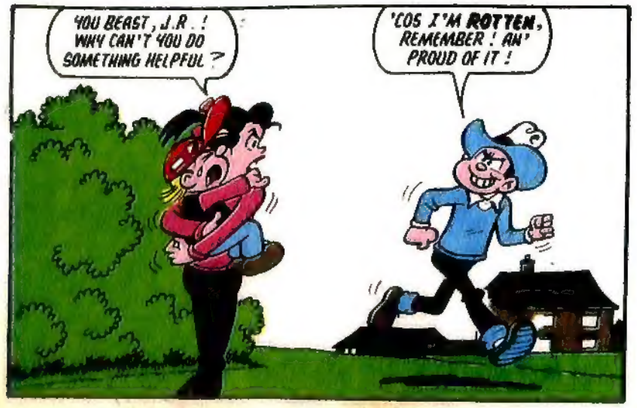
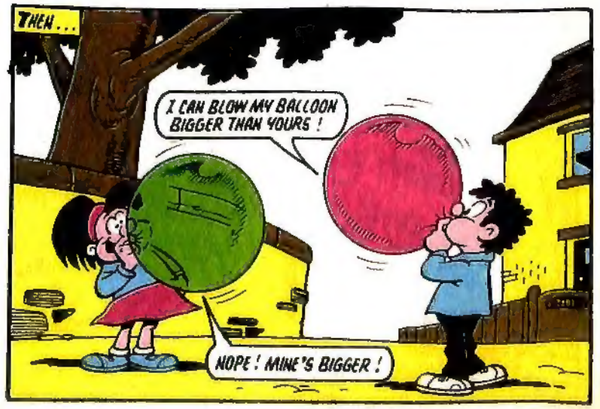
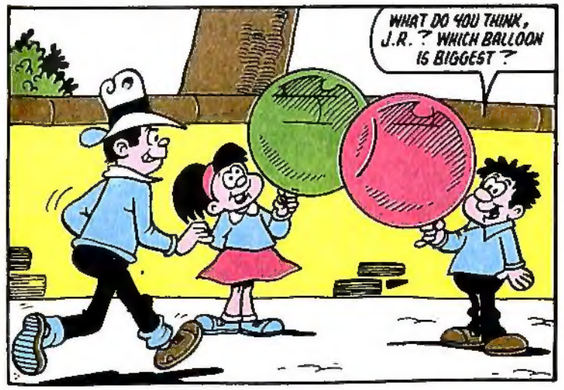
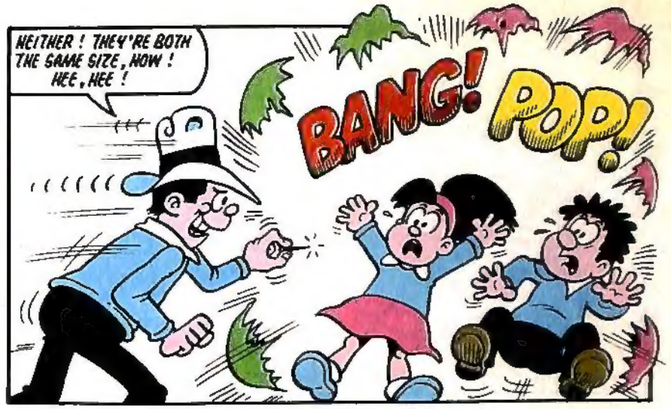

'SCUSE ME !
SNIP!
SNIP!

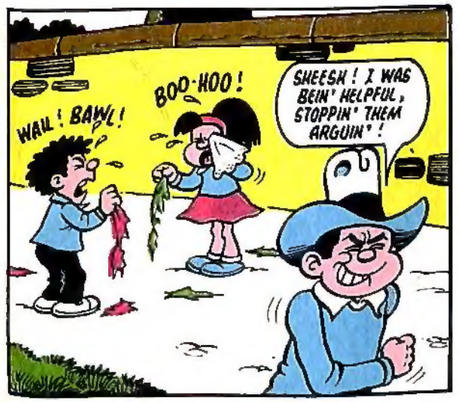

WAIL ! BOO-HOO ! LOST MY KITE ! BAW !
QUIT BAWLIN', KID ! SURELY YOU DON'T WANT ME TO TRIP ?


YOU BEAST, J.R. ! WHY CAN'T YOU DO SOMETHING HELPFUL ?
'COS I'M ROTTEN, REMEMBER ! AN' PROUD OF IT !

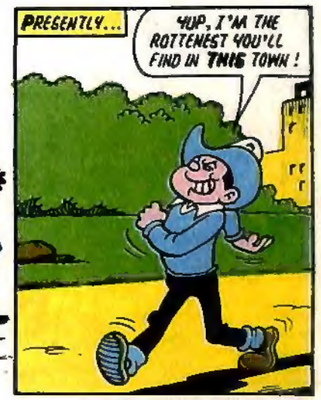

THEN...
I CAN BLOW MY BALLOON BIGGER THAN YOURS !
NOPE ! MINE'S BIGGER !

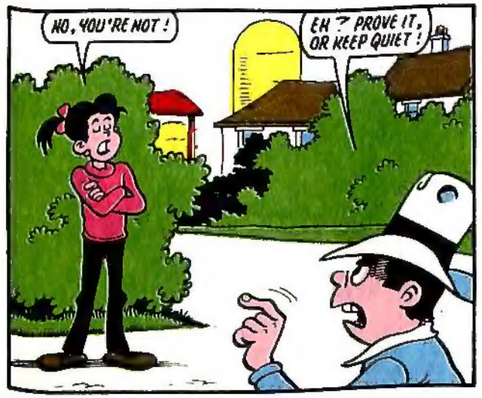

WHAT DO YOU THINK, J.R. ? WHICH BALLOON IS BIGGEST ?


NEITHER ! THEY'RE BOTH THE SAME SIZE, NOW ! HEE, HEE !
BANG!
POP!

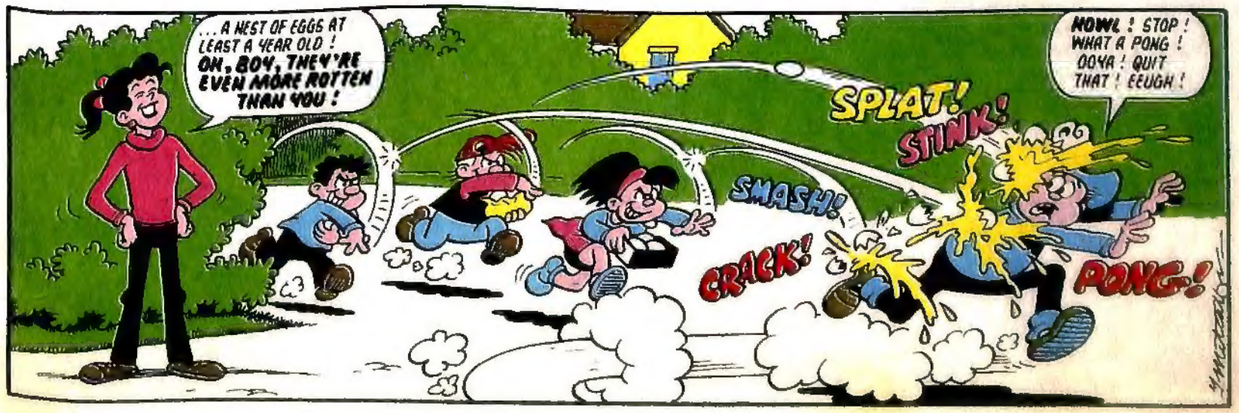

WAIL ! BAWL !
BOO-HOO !
SHEESH ! I WAS BEIN' HELPFUL, STOPPIN' THEM ARGUIN' !

WHAT'S HE DONE, NOW ? I'VE GOT TO PUT A STOP TO THIS !

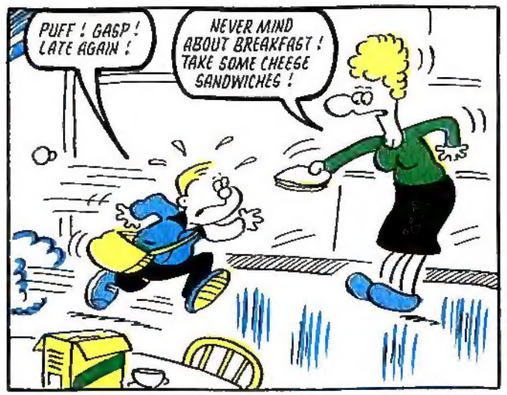

PRESENTLY...
YUP, I'M THE ROTTENEST YOU'LL FIND IN THIS TOWN !

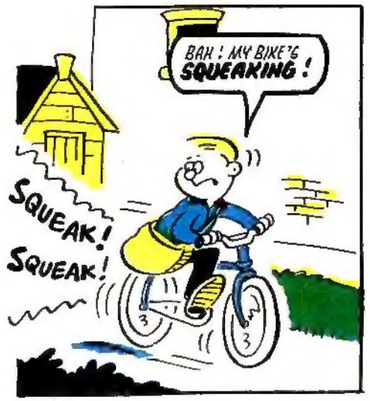

NO, YOU'RE NOT !
EH ? PROVE IT, OR KEEP QUIET !

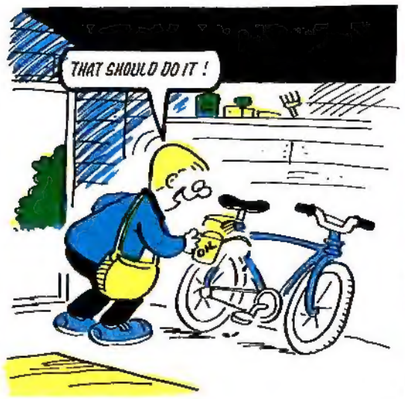
ALL THE KIDS YOU UPSET LIVE ON THE SAME FARM — AND THEY MADE A VERY INTERESTING DISCOVERY THIS MORNING...
UH ? EGGS ? NAW, YOU WOULDN'T...

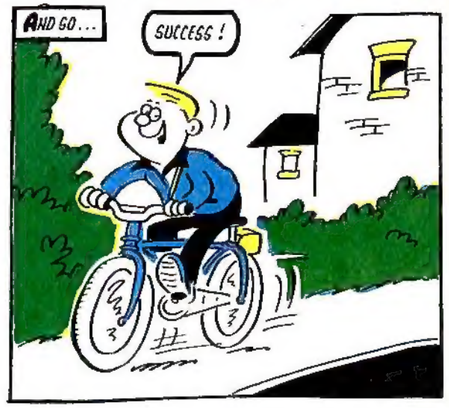

... A NEST OF EGGS AT LEAST A YEAR OLD ! OH, BOY, THEY'RE EVEN MORE ROTTEN THAN YOU !
SPLAT!
STINK!
SMASH!
CRACK!
PONG!
NOWL ! STOP ! WHAT A PONG ! OOYA ! QUIT THAT ! EEUGH !

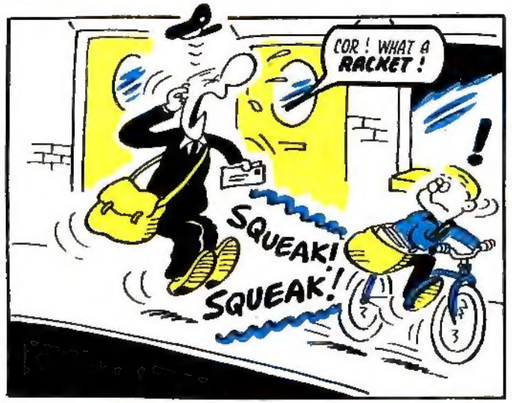
# PAPER BOY

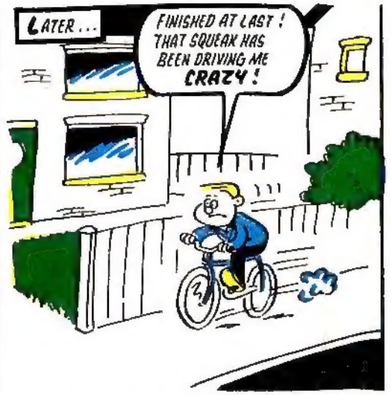


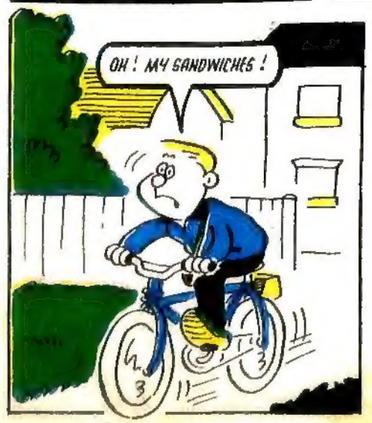


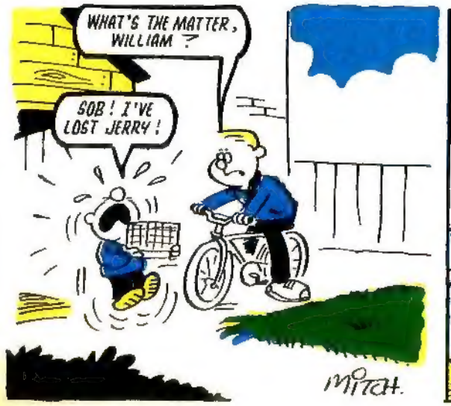



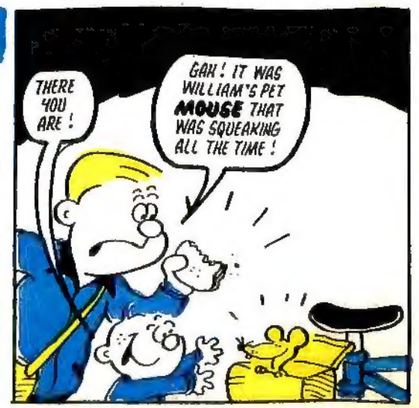



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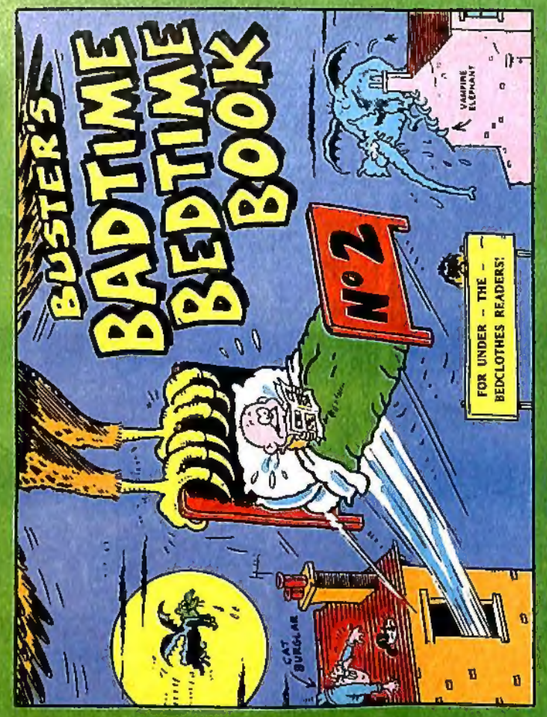


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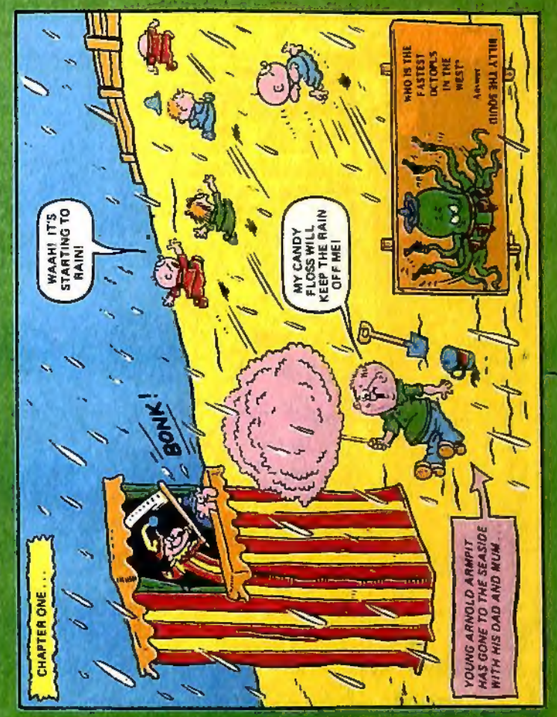


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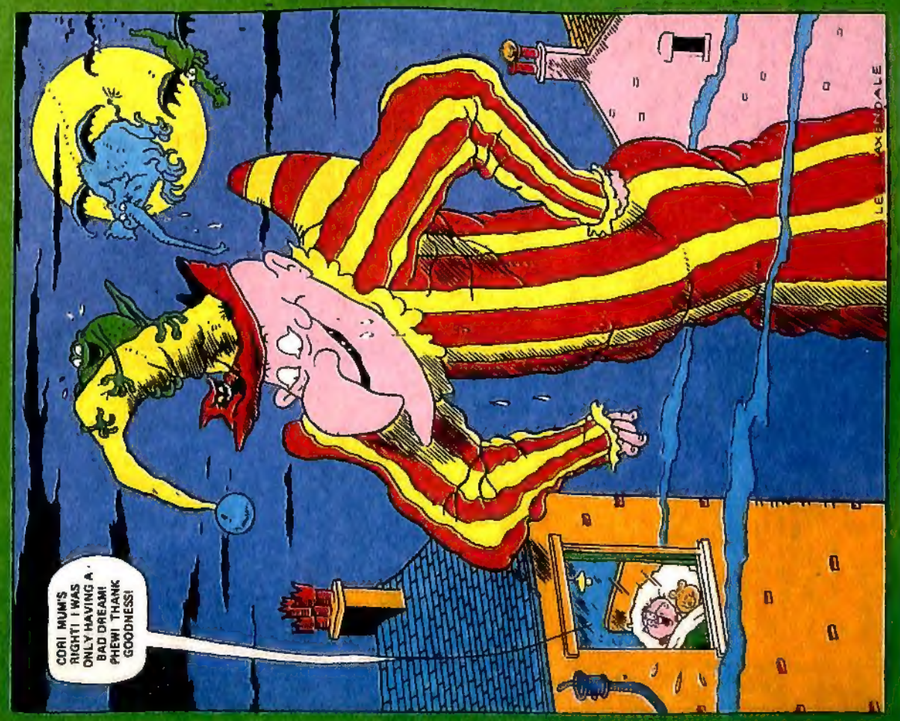

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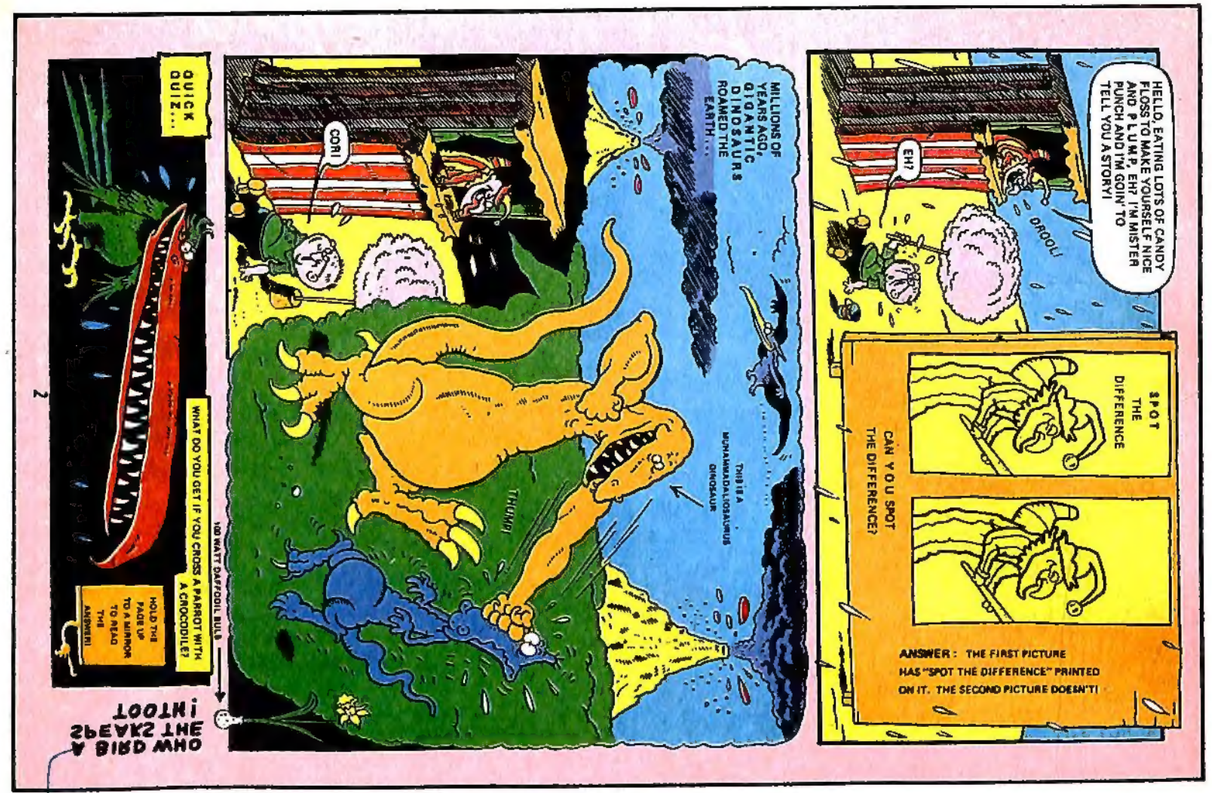




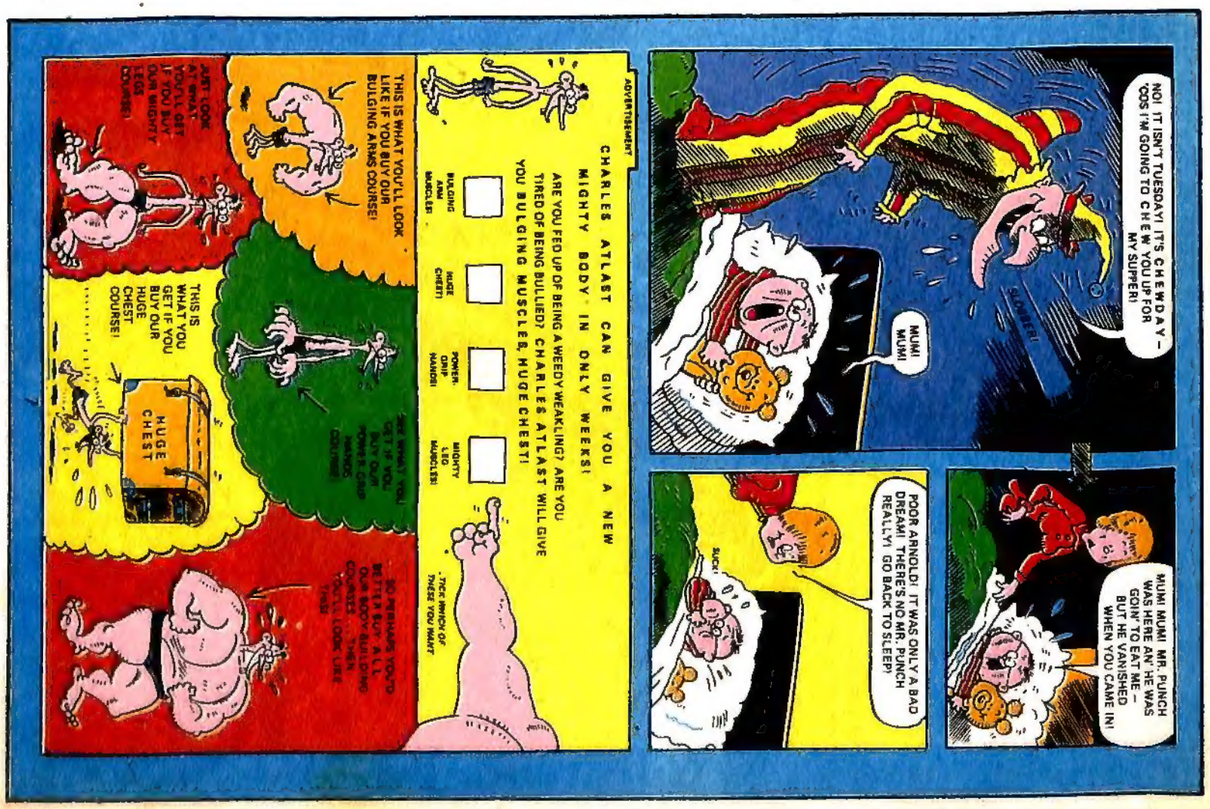

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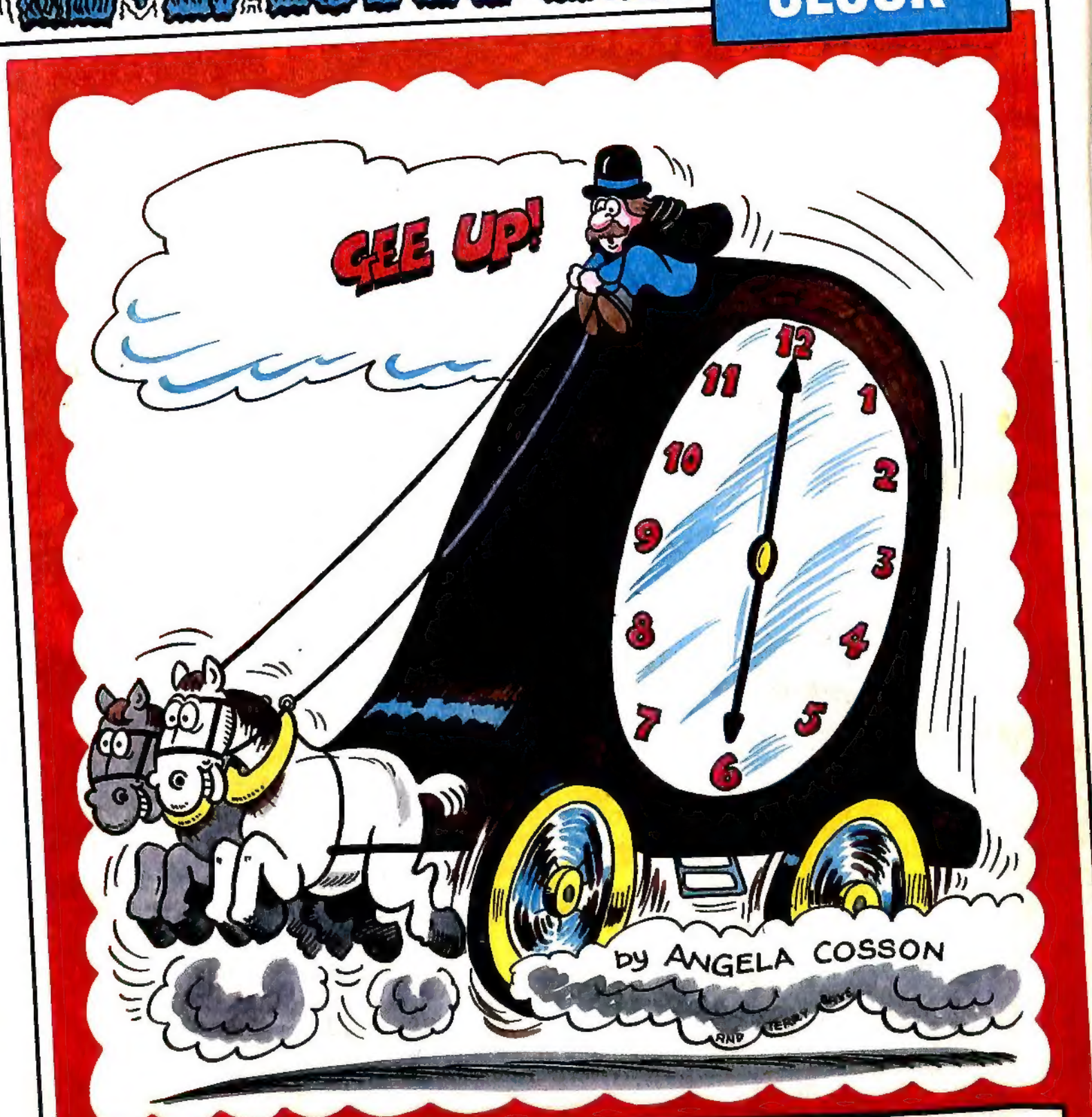


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